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BARNHART, Lora Elizabeth

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## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed January 24, 2005, in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of the rejections of record in view of the remarks provided below.

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2. EXCESS CLAIM FE	2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES Small Entity						
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